

## NOLAND'S SENTENCE.

## How It was Received by Him—His Views and Those of his Attorney.

Edward T. Noland, whose sentence to the penitentiary was yesterday confirmed by the Supreme Court is living in St. Louis.

Mr. Noland's first intimation of the court's decision was through a private telegram directed to him at his residence on Chestnut street. He was taken completely by surprise, and his wife and family were prostrated with grief.

Mr. Noland recognized that the next proceeding would be for the marshal of court to come here and convey him to the penitentiary, and he at once concluded to avoid this humiliating experience by at once going to Jefferson City and delivering himself to the Warden. During the afternoon Mrs. Noland's illness from the shock became quite serious, and after a consultation with his cousin and lawyer, Mr. Chas. Noland, Mr. Noland decided to remain over till his cousin could go to Jefferson City and file a motion for a rehearing in the case. In accordance with this programme Mr. Chas. Noland left last night for Jefferson City where he will this morning file the motion. Mr. Noland will await the action of the court on this motion before surrendering himself, and it is probable the matter will not be disposed of for several days.

## STATES HIS VIEWS.

Mr. Noland on being seen last night said: "I was much surprised at the decision of the supreme court in my case, as my attorneys, as well as a number of leading lawyers in all parts of the state, led me to think the court would most certainly reverse my case or reverse a long line of decisions of our court. Of course I have not seen the opinion, and even if I had I am not competent to criticize it, so I will leave criticisms to those more competent to suggest them. I have never thought that I would have to go to the penitentiary, yet it seems that I have been wrong. I have an abiding faith that the court will find in our motion for a rehearing sufficient reasons to justify them in changing their decision. However, if the motion for a rehearing is denied, no officer will be necessary to take me to the penitentiary, for I shall promptly deliver myself to the warden.

"I saw the warden at the Laclede to-night and notified him that as soon as my attorneys told me that nothing further could be done to protect my family from the disgrace of my imprisonment I would take the first train and deliver myself to him as his prisoner. I desire to express my gratitude to my friends for the kind interest they have manifested in my behalf and assure them that my future will be directed in a line that will merit their confidence and esteem.

"What distresses me most is the suffering which my innocent family are forced to undergo on my account. Surely there will be no one mean enough to add to it by cruel references to my conviction."

## CHARLES NOLAND TALKS.

Charles Noland, the cousin and attorney of ex-State Treasurer was seen last evening at the Laclede Hotel, just before he left for Jefferson City, and the following interview was had with him:

"Did you expect the case would be reversed?" was asked.

"I most certainly did. I was so confident that I would have staked my life on the result."

"What will you now do in the case?"

"I shall file a motion for a rehearing, but they have knocked all the confidence in law points out of me, and will file the motion more as a matter of form than anything else."

"Have you anything further to say about the case of Mr. Noland?"

"No, sir, I have no criticisms to make until I read the opinion, and then my criticisms will be made to the court itself when I argue the motion for a rehearing. If the judges acted solely from a sense of duty after a careful and fair examination of the law, the result should not be criticized, while if they did allow other motives to influence them their own consciences will punish them. Therefore, I shall keep silent, and I hope Ed's friends will indulge in no harsh criticism of the opinion or the judges who rendered it."

"Then if your motion for a rehearing is overruled will you try to get Governor Francis to pardon your cousin?"

"I most certainly shall do nothing of the kind. While I have a great sympathy for Ed I have more for his family. They are the ones who suffer most by his imprisonment. He suffered his punishment in the loss of his position and his fall. Imprisonment can add nothing. But his family are the ones who feel most the blow of this decision. It is heart-

rending to witness their grief, and I can not do it."

## CURIOUS COINCIDENCES.

There are a number of peculiar coincidences connected with the final conviction of Mr. Noland. The first is that his brother, S. H. Noland, is the Marshal of the Supreme Court, and under the court's decree the duty will devolve upon the marshal of escorting his brother to the penitentiary. Another curious fact is that when he enters the state prison the first thing that will meet his gaze will be a large, gilt-edged frame, containing new rules for the government of the penitentiary, to which is appended the name of Edward T. Noland as one of the inspectors. Still another is the fact that an older brother is one of the most faithful of the penitentiary guards.

## IT WILL BE JUDGE RYLAND.

The democratic county convention of Lafayette county was held yesterday and the following delegates selected to the democratic convention which meets at Higginsville, Thursday, June 9th, to nominate a candidate for judge of the criminal court for the fifteenth judicial circuit and Johnson county: R. H. Banton, C. D. Ragland, M. L. Bell, C. Vivian, George B. Gordon, H. Y. Plattenburg, E. H. Handley, W. A. Redd, Clay Corder, W. H. Chiles, H. C. Wallace, Jr., J. S. Grosshart, J. T. Ferguson, Thomas M. Chinn and Ervin Withers. A resolution was adopted instructing the above delegates to vote for Judge John E. Ryland, present incumbent, first, last and all the time.

As Saline county had already instructed for Judge Ryland this insures his nomination. In addition to this the Pettis county delegates are known to be for Judge Ryland.

The Lafayette convention also instructed its delegates for Judge Field.

## MISSOURIANS READY FOR MINNEAPOLIS.

Between Saturday evening and Sunday morning about 250 Missouri Republicans will leave for the Minneapolis Convention. Most of them will go from St. Louis. Among the prominent politicians who will leave St. Louis Saturday evening are:

Delegates at large, R. C. Kerins, A. C. Dawes and Chauncey I. Filley, and Alternates, Wm. A. Hobbs and T. B. Houghawout. Major Warner may also join the party here. The complete Missouri delegation is as follows:

First district, delegates—James H. Kinnear, Kirksville; Dr. E. Magoon, Clarence. Alternates: A. F. Poulton, Canton.

Second district, delegates—John B. Hale, Carrollton; John F. Hawley, Chillicothe. Alternates: Louis Bencke, Brunswick; J. E. Swanger, Milan.

Third District—Delegates: Joseph E. Black, Jr., Richmond; H. C. Miller, Princeton. Alternates: E. G. Gurney, Kidder; C. W. Fry, Grant City.

Fourth District—Delegate: W. F. Ranken, Tarkio. Alternate: John Kennish, Mound City.

Fifth District—Alternates: Joseph McCoy, independence; J. W. Wellborn, Lexington.

Sixth District—Delegates: J. C. Lepscum, Clinton; Oliver Houts, Warrensburg. Alternates: W. H. H. Cundiff, Pleasant Hill; B. L. Morrison, Cedar county.

Seventh District—Delegates: Henry Lamm, Sedalia; George A. Ramsay, Springfield. Alternates: J. R. Vance, Marshall; T. J. Aikin, Humansville.

Eighth District—Delegates: W. P. Freeman, Tusculum; C. C. Bell, Booneville. Alternates: Giles Bell, Fulton; Isaac Hoskinson, Lebanon.

Ninth District—Delegates: J. C. Parish, Vandalia; T. C. Wilson, Troy. Alternates: Geo. Kraytly, Hermann; B. F. Emmons, St. Charles.

Tenth District—Delegates: Henry Bresh, St. Louis; George Autenreith, Clayton. Alternates: Julius Wurzbacher, St. Louis; J. W. Owens, Washington.

Eleventh District—Delegates: C. H. Sampson, St. Louis; Charles F. Weneker, St. Louis. Alternates: Julius Lehman, St. Louis; W. F. Schaefer, St. Louis.

Twelfth District—Delegates: F. C. Niedringhaus, St. Louis; Nathan Cole, St. Louis. Alternates: Michael Forstel, St. Louis; Charles Turner, St. Louis.

Fourteenth District—Delegates: N. B. Clark, West Plains; Wm. Regenhart, Cape Girardeau. Alternates: D. G. Crumb, Bloomfield; I. M. Davidson, Poplar Bluff.

Fifteenth District—Delegates: F. E. Williams, Joplin; J. C. Seabourn, Southwest City. Alternates: Joseph Thompson, Mount Vernon; W. A. Sandford, Minden.

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## WELSH DIVORCED.

## The End of a Sensational and Very Salacious Case.

By the concurrent of the Kansas City court of appeals, handed down yesterday, Ira Welsh is granted a decree divorcing him from Ida Welsh and thus terminating the most sensational and nauseating divorce case ever tried in this county.

Some two years ago Ira Welsh brought suit in the circuit court of this county a king a divorce from his wife Ida and charging her with infidelity. Mrs. Welsh shortly filed her answer. It proved highly sensational. She admitted her infidelity and general misconduct, but charged that her husband was not only fully aware of all the circumstances but actually consented thereto and profited largely by her various liaisons. At the trial she testified that through her husband she formed the acquaintance of Ike Worrell, who was high up in the employ of the Simmons Hardware company of St. Louis and that together they proceeded to "work" Worrell to such an extent that he finally lost all his money and his position.

Then, she testified, they "shook" Worrell and she tried her blandishments upon Thomas R. Burch, western manager for the Phoenix Insurance company of Chicago and with such success, as she claimed, that her husband was shortly employed as an adjuster for the insurance company at a fat salary. As an instance of the way in which Burch was duped, she testified that she and her husband had procured a good looking blue eyed baby in St. Louis and attempted to palm it off on Burch as his child. She claimed that Burch then employed Pinkerton detectives to shadow her and by a system of persecutions drove her out of Chicago. She brought suit against the Pinkertons in St. Louis, claiming \$25,000 damages. Finally, she asserted, growing tired of Burch and weary of selling herself for the profit of her husband, she abandoned the whole outfit.

The trial of the case before Judge Slover attracted large crowds daily to the court room and after a most bitter contest, occupying an entire week, the court declined to grant Welsh a divorce. He carried his case to the court of appeals with the result announced above. In arriving at this decision the court declined to place any faith in the testimony of Mrs. Welsh, on the ground that she had confessed her own infidelity and, as shown by the transcript of the case, had contradicted her own statements in a number of instances. —Kansas City Times.

## Not The Right Word.

"No," said Bertha sadly, "pain" doesn't express what I suffer at these times—it is simply "anguish." I know I ought to consult a physician, but I dread it so! I can't bring myself to do it. Then, too, "female diseases" always seemed so indelicate to me, I can't bear to have any one know or speak of mine."

"Yes, dear," answered Edith, "but don't you know you can be cured without going to a physician? Send to any druggist for a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and take it, and I warrant you'll feel better in a very few days."

The manufacturers warrant this medicine, too. They guarantee it to do exactly what it claims, viz: to cure leucorrhoea, painful irregularities, excessive flowing prolapsus, inflammation or ulceration of the uterus, and the innumerable other "female weaknesses." It so strengthens and builds up the uterine system, and nerves, that worn-out, run-down wives and mothers feel rejuvenated after taking it, and they are saved the painful embarrassment and expense of a surgical examination and a tedious, tiresome treatment.

## ONLY TEMPERANCE DRINKS.

A writer in the St. Joseph News says: "I am satisfied that a first-class company could do well with summer opera in St. Joseph during the next three or four months, I heard a gentleman who has had some experience in that line say recently. The great trouble with ventures of this kind heretofore has been that no attempt was made to draw the patronage of the better element of society. The best people of the city and those upon which opera companies must rely for their patronage, will not go to an entertainment where there is a barroom attachment. They would gladly patronize a summer garden where good attractions were presented and where only temperance drinks were sold."

The above might be said of Sedalia as well as St. Joseph.

## SLEEPING ON A FORTUNE.

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## BAZOO GOSSIP.

"A mistake that is often made said a gentleman yesterday to the Gossiper is in the popular phrase, 'Everything is lovely and the goose hangs high.' Now this is entirely wrong. It should read, 'Everything is lovely and the goose hangs high. This saying originated away up in the northern states, where in rainy, foggy, or stormy weather it is a well known fact that the geese fly low—skimming along over the house tops. In fine and pleasant weather you will remember that they fly in long strings so high in the heavens that their peculiar cry, Honk, honk, can be scarcely heard on the earth below, hence the old saying that everything is lovely and the goose hangs high, and not hangs high, which is a most nonsensical perversion of the original saying."

"It is not half so hard for people to save money as a great many of them think it is," said a gentleman to the Gossiper, "having is all a habit which once acquired comes easy and puts one to no inconvenience. A man who earns but \$5 a week and regularly lays aside a quarter of a dollar, hardly knows he is saving, so far as his actual necessary expenses are concerned. It is surprising how much can be saved by people who earn but moderate wages, if they will once make a beginning, and it is not necessary to deprive themselves of the usual necessities for a moderate, good living, but simply cut off some of their imaginary wants and unnecessary expenses."

## GEORGE GOULD'S ELKS.

## The Wizard's Son Is Sending Five Yearlings to His Private Park.

Five yearling elks were passengers on the Missouri Pacific train which left the city last night for St. Louis at 8:50 o'clock, a half hour behind its usual time. They are the property of Geo. Gould and are enroute from Rifle Creek, Colorado, to a private park belonging to Mr. Gould in New York. These elks travel in style in a Burton perfection horse car, a perfect stable on wheels. Louis Hague, who has them in charge, pays them more attention than the average traveler receives while on a journey. So far they have stood their long ride remarkably well.

The five elks travel in two compartments, two in one and three in the other. They are given three meals regularly every day and a fresh bed of straw is made up for them every night. Above the compartments are water tanks, filled once a day, and by a pipe and faucet, the animal are regularly given a proper supply of water after each meal.

When Keeper Hague entered the car with his lantern last night to pay his last attentions to the animals prior to starting for St. Louis one of the elks put out its head very bravely to him through the bars while he petted it. "Billy wants to get his name in the paper," laughed Hague. "The animals are very tame. They were captured on Bear river, Colorado, when very young. An elk grows wild and vicious as it grows older. Nevertheless I owned a team of elks which I drove in harness and which are now in the possession of a Pueblo man, who sometimes drives them hitched to a sleigh. They would never stand driving in warm weather."

While the keeper was talking he was handed a lengthy telegram instructing him regarding the elks. Among other things he was told to stop over at St. Louis one day and to have the elks taken from the train to rest them from the long journey which began May 25.

Mr. Gould is still in Colorado, where, it is said, he will remain for a few days before starting for the east. —Kansas City Times.

## BOND FORFEITED.

In the circuit court of Vernon county yesterday, the bond of ex-Recorder A. J. King was declared forfeited by the court. Mr. King is under indictment for embezzling county funds during his term of office as county recorder. Mr. King's whereabouts are unknown to the public, but he is supposed to be in the west.

## WILL BE CLEARED.

Mr. Warren, a gentleman from Denison, Texas, was in the city this morning, and in speaking of the arrest of Thomas Boswell said that gentleman was now released from custody, and it is thought nothing further will be heard of the charges against him. He was simply held for checking on the bank when he had already overdrawn, but these checks have since been taken up by his friends.

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## THE TEXAS MURDERS.

## The Denison Papers Don't Think Tom Boswell is the Man.

The Denison papers evidently do not attach much importance to the arrest of Tom Boswell in connection with the murders at that place. The Gazetteer says: "It has been nearly two weeks since the night of horrors, and under ordinary circumstances the public mind would have about returned to its normal condition; yet in this city there is a trepidation, a fear, a want of confidence in the public safety that is apparent to the most casual observer. The first week came and went with utter suspense so far as any clue being obtained as to the guilty party or parties, and it seems now that the second week is to pass with the same results. Theories almost without ending have been advanced, and wild rumors and stories without the slightest foundation in fact have floated about like down in a summer breeze. It is needless to state that all this speculation is without result, except it be to intensify fear on the part of the ladies and children."

Early in the week the name of Tom Boswell, the young gentleman who has been with the McCarthy hardware house four or more years, was whispered about in connection with the murder of Miss Ten Hawley. That Tom was gone no one could deny, but many of his friends did and do yet stoutly deny that there was any connection whatever in his leaving as he did and the murder of the young lady. For him to get out of the city the morning after the tragedies casts a deeper shadow; yet the fact of his going on the morning he did is not within itself evidence to sustain the charge.

Dr. Haynes and Mr. and Mrs. Farmer, together with their granddaughter, left Tuesday for San Antonio to be absent several weeks. It may be that they will visit Mexico before their return. With reference to the killing of Mrs. Haynes and the shooting of the girls at the bagnios the Denison public and the officers have settled down to a well grounded theory, and from a chain of circumstantial evidence the shootings are pretty well accounted for, and now the future is the future, and no man knows what is to be the results.

## A SATURDAY DISPATCH

states that Boswell arrived in Denison in charge of the sheriff. He was at once taken into court, but the murder charge was not entertained, and the court put Boswell under bond to the amount of \$200, with Owen McCarty, Boswell's late employer, as security. The charge made to-day against Boswell was for issuing checks on a bank where he had overdrawn his accounts. All the checks have since been taken up and it is now thought that the young man will be cleared of the charge of fraud. While Boswell left Denison at daylight on the morning of the murders, and under suspicious circumstances his friends in Denison did not believe him guilty of any connection with the tragedies. This leaves the mystery no nearer a solution than it was a week ago.

## Maltum in Parvo.

Because a thing is small in size, Think not 'twill pay to scorn it; Some insects have a smaller waist, But lift less than the borer."

Some people may, perhaps, scorn, on account of their diminutiveness, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. But a trial of them convinces the most scornful skeptic, that they will cure constipation, dyspepsia, sick and bilious headache, quicker and surer than their larger waisted competitors, the old style pill.

## THE CHICKEN THIEF.

Bill Bibee, who has acquired the reputation of stealing more chickens than any dozen men in this part of the country was brought in last night by constable Ramsey to answer to the charge of stealing poultry, on the night of March 24th. He was arrested at Blackburn by constable J. S. Hitt, made his escape but was recaptured by that official at Malta Bend yesterday.

Bibee was arranged before Justice Fisher this morning, and the case continued until 9 o'clock to-morrow morning. Failing to give the required bond of \$500 he went to jail.

## It Should be in Every House.

J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay street, Sharpsburg, Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds; that it cured his wife who was threatened with Pneumonia after an attack of "La Grippe" when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cookport, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for Lung Trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free Trial Bottles at Merz & Hale's Drug Store. Large bottles, 50c and \$1.00.

## WAITING FOR THE BUGLE.

We wait for the bugle, the night dew is cold,  
The limbs of the soldiers feel jaded and old,  
The field of our bivouac is windy and bare,  
There is lead in our joints, there is frost in our hair.  
The future is veiled and its fortunes unknown  
As we lie with hushed breath till the bugle is blown.

At the sound of the bugle each comrade shall spring  
Like an arrow released from the strain of the string;  
The courage, the impulse of youth shall come back  
To banish the chill of the drear bivouac,  
All sorrows and losses and cares fade away  
When the life-giving signal proclaims the new day.

Though the bivouac of age may put ice in our veins,  
And no fiber of steel in our sinew remains;  
Though the comrades of yesterday's march are not here,  
And the sunlight seems pale and the branches are sear;  
Though the sound of our cheering dies down to a moan,  
We shall find our lost youth when the bugle is blown.

—T. W. Higginson.

## AFTER JUDGE RYLAND.

A letter has been received by a gentleman at Lexington from A. W. Rogers, of Warrensburg, in which he said that the Democratic County Convention of Johnson County had instructed delegates for him to the Higginsville Convention of Johnson to nominate a candidate for Judge of the Criminal Court June 9. This letter was the first intimation local politicians had of any opposition to the re-nomination of Judge John Ryland and created a stir. Col. Rodgers' candidacy, they say is too late, as Saline and Pettis have already selected Ryland delegates and at the Convention to be held to-morrow a Ryland delegation will undoubtedly be chosen.

There is a bit of history connected with Col. Rogers and the criminal judgeship that may not be uninteresting. Two years ago Mr. Rogers under a misapprehension that Judge Ryland's term of the office would expire with 1890, announced that he would seek the nomination. Afterwards, when he found that Judge Ryland had yet two more years to serve, nothing more was said. A week ago yesterday, Rodgers was defeated for the nomination for Prosecuting Attorney of Johnson County and no one thought of any opposition to Ryland from him.

## Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

## THE PROHIBITIONISTS.

The Prohibitionists met in council at the Court House Saturday afternoon. The several rain storms that swept over Sedalia about the hour at which the meeting was called, evidently had some effect upon the numbers, but did not dampen their ardor. Chairman McClellan was on time; ditto, some few others.

The chief business of the meeting resulted in authorizing the county chairman to call a convention for the nomination of a county ticket, to be held Monday, June 13, at the Court House. Also, that the chairmen of ward and township committees be prepared to report to executive committee at convention amounts received on subscription by monthly pledges. A motion was also carried that all who attended convention and claimed the privilege of speaking or voting in convention should be required to sign the "Million Voter" pledge. The secretary was also authorized to have 500 copies of the prohibition platform printed for distribution, and prohibitionists all along the line were desired to come prepared with nominations of the very best men of known prohibition record for county offices. Meeting adjourned till June 13.

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## A RATHER EXCEPTIONAL RECORD.

Wilson Howard, the notorious Kentucky outlaw, who was lodged in jail in St. Louis about a year ago for safe-keeping, was taken to Lebanon, Mo., yesterday morning for trial on a charge of murder in the first degree. He is the man who in cold blood deliberately shot and killed a deaf mute in Warren County several years ago. In his life he has killed, it is said, twenty-three men.

## PENSIONS.

All persons having claims for pensions, back pay and bounty and those wanting certificates and those marked as deserters, would do well to call on J. W. WALKER, 208 East Main St., Sedalia, Mo.